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Re: Your agenda item "Small ECM motors"

To whom it may concern:

ECM in this context is an acronym for permanent magnet electronically commutated motors.

If someone states ECM Motor then you repeat "motor". Further, ECM even implies a trademark of a certain EC motor manufacturer.

I propose that official language uses "EC motor" or "permanent magnet brushless DC motor" for this type of motors.

Thank you.

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